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"ROASTING"

Is Not the First and Most Important Obligation of a Newspaper.

The Frankfort News has evidently "been there," judging from the following editorial, which voices the sentiment of the newspapers generally and which is applicable to some people who want to see everybody "roasted," but don't want to be known in the "roast." The News says:

MAKING A NEWSPAPER GOAT.

The editor of this paper is continually urged to roast this, that or the other thing or condition in Frankfort and if we pleased every body the paper would be nothing but one large broiling pan in which to cook anything and everything. Those who ask us to write a roast always refuse to allow themselves to be quoted and their conversation usually is about like this:

"I wish you would go after—"
Of course, I cannot afford to say anything myself, for I would get in bad with somebody, but I wish you would go after them strong."

In other words the person making the request for a roast is not willing to bear the brunt himself or herself, but would like to have the newspaper take the responsibility and get the cussing which would inevitably follow. People seem to think that a newspaper is a regulator of all things and that the sole purpose and province of a newspaper is to roast. They overlook the fact that criticism by a newspaper is more bitterly resented than is criticism from any other source and if the man who wants somebody else roasted was roasted himself, in the newspapers, he would want to whip somebody.

Our idea of a newspaper is that it is a vander of news, relating the happenings of the day as they occur and commenting on such of them as seem of enough moment, with honesty and frankness but the main and most important thing is to print the news. We think the editorial column is a feature of the newspaper only and not the most important feature. The newspaper is not a policeman and it is not the duty of the newspaper to go about cracking heads and acting as an examining court for the trial of men.

People buy a newspaper for the news that is in it and rarely buy it for the views of the editor of the paper. A live news item is worth more than the most learned editorial that can be written and the editorial column is most important when the editorial becomes news by reason of the interest that is felt in the opinion on this particular subject to the editor.

A newspaper should be independent and courageous in its editorial columns, but it should also be courageous in its news columns and it frequently requires more courage to print the news than to write an editorial. In the news columns the facts alone should be given. They should not be distorted or colored and should be presented as nearly as possible as they can be obtained. Those who want some real fancied injury to the public exposed or roasted are willing to make the newspaper the punching which will follow the roast. They seldom are willing to share the joys of being the goat, but want the newspaper to bear the burden alone. If there is anything wrong anywhere and it can be presented in a legal and proper form this paper will print it as news, but we do not intend to try to pelot Frankfort and correct all the evils that exist here. What there are many, but there are enough to keep us busy if we undertook the job.

LETTER

From a Little Girl Who Went to West Virginia.

Mr. Editor Advocate: As I haven't seen anything in the Advocate from Scranton for some time, I will write, as my father and I are readers of the Advocate. I have just returned from a visit to West Virginia with my father, John T. Borders. He hadn't seen his sister, Mrs. Craton Miller, for eight years. We left home in our buggy, stayed first night at Elamton with J. M. Elam, the well-known merchant; second day we stayed in Lawrence county with an uncle, Wallace Borders; then we took in a big foot washing meeting and saw many relatives whom we had not seen for years, which, of course, we enjoyed very much. We left Ulyssus, Ky., for Ft. Gay, W. Va., and stayed over night with our cousin, Rev. Namam Borders, so when I got to my aunt's at Armida I was worn out. Then my father took the N. & W. for Kenova, then on street car to Ashland, where he spent a while with his cousin, Dr. Wm. Deboard; then by the steamboat Greyhound he went to Portsmouth, Ohio, to see his uncles, H. Pack and family and Z. H. Moore. While he enjoyed his trip I was in Wayne county with my aunt and made the acquaintance of several ladies, of whom were Misses Flora and Naomi Mills. We spent one day in Sunday School while in W. Va. I saw the hills of Morgan, Johnson, Lawrence and Wayne counties, also the coal mines of W. Va., also the Big Sandy river and the bridge which spans it at Louisa, Ky.

Since I have come home my father and I are keeping house while my sisters, Misses Millie E., Nora E., Sota Ray, Lula E., and Mr. Roy Emory Borders are visiting my grand-mother, Mrs. Stephens Borders, of Powell county, and uncles H. L. and Charley Borders, of Powell county, and W. H. Borders, of Montgomery county.

Mrs. Jas. L. Hale, who had a long spell of fever, is out.

Mr. G. W. Botts has typhoid, but is improving.

M. A. Welch, nominee for Assessor of our county, is sick; has been to the hospital at Salt Lick.

I will close by giving my wishes to the Advocate. I like to see one so strong against the liquor; so am I. Oh, if all little girls could say what I can: I never saw my papa intoxicated. If you don't take the first drink you'll not be drunk, I think, and the child whose mother is dead will not cry for bread.

CATHERINE EYERS BORDERS.

Scranton, Ky.

Lumber Company Dam Blown Up.

A dynamite blast was exploded a few nights ago about midway of the dam of the Licking River Lumber Company across the river at Farmers. It is not known who set off the explosive, but in all probability some individual took advantage of the strike situation and did so on account of some personal grievance, believing that the strikers would be held responsible. The strikers are still out, but their places have been taken on the river bank by non-union men. Many citizens of Farmers fear there will be trouble.

A large stick of dynamite was exploded in the garden of Judge S. N. Sorrell, postmaster at Farmers, which was so near his residence that the family were considerably shocked.

Buy your coal and feed from Moore & Scott, Corner of Bank and Lecut. Home Phone 37, E. K. 24.

A BAD COMBINATION.

Married Life Without a Home Is Like An Egg Without Salt.

"Don't marry until you can have a home." That's my advice to the girl who is planning to get married and "board awhile."

"Don't stay in lodgings any longer than it takes you to hunt up a suitable house or apartment." That's my advice to the girl who has gotten married and is still "boarding awhile."

Married life without a home is like an egg without salt—only infinitely worse.

Next to the bearing and rearing of a child, the building up of a home is the strongest bond of common interest that a man and woman can have.

Lodgings, I think, are the devil's own invention for stealing away the happiness that he might otherwise be obliged to see young married people enjoy.

A young man of my acquaintance told me the other day that a girl who had been married but a few months asked him to come and see her where she was boarding, and offered as inducement the fact that her husband was seldom at home.

A wave of disgust swept over me. And then it passed and I was just sorry.

For I knew the girl with little brains and much energy, who needed, if ever a woman did, some natural interests to occupy her time.

She has strong housewifely tastes. In a home she might make herself and her husband very happy. In "furnished rooms" she will probably ruin both her life and his.

A good many of the young couples who drift into the divorce courts pleading "incompatibility of temper" would never have had time to find out they had any such jaw-breaking disturbance if they had been busy home building instead of dragging along an unnatural existence in a boarding house.

Perhaps the initial expense of a home seems a good deal to some people.

But there is such a thing as beginning simple, you know—such a thing as starting in with the bare necessities.

And after all isn't the question, not so much can you afford a home, as can you afford—financially and otherwise—to do without one?—Both Cameron in Cincinnati Times-Star.

Solving A Problem.

In one of Boston's primary schools the other day the head master of the district presented a problem for the scholars that would require the use of fractions. He expected the answer, "I don't know."

The problem: "If I had eight potatoes, how could I divide them among nine boys?"

A bright looking youngster raised his hand.

"Well," said the master.

"Mash them," promptly replied the young mathematician.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

A Pair of Toasts.

They were lined up in front of the wet goods counter—the old bachelor and the benedick.

"Here's to woman," said the benedick, "the morning star of our infancy, the day star of our manhood and the evening star of our old age."

"Here's to our stars," rejoined the bachelor, "and may they always be kept at a telescope distance."—Chicago News.

WAR IS OVER

BETWEEN BURLEY AND EQUITY SOCIETIES.

County Boards Will Pay Growers Within Ten Days From Receipt of Cash for Crop.

The war between the Burley Society and the American Society of Equity is over, and the two organizations will work in harmony in pooling the 1909 crop under the control of the Burley Tobacco Society, if the agreement reached at Winchester on Tuesday last week is ratified by the State and National organizations of the Society of Equity.

According to the terms of the agreement the Burley Tobacco Society will pay the American Society of Equity \$10,000 for its help in pooling the 1909 crop, to be divided equally between the National and State unions, \$5,000 of this sum to be paid October 1, if the pool is a success, and \$5,000 when the 1909 crop is sold, the whole amount to be chargeable to the 1909 crop.

RESULT IS A COMPROMISE.

The result is a compromise of the difference between the two organizations. While the American Society of Equity, led by Congressman Cantrell, has secured important concessions and may be regarded as having won a victory, the Burley Tobacco Society retains control of the pool and the essential features of the pooling contract as originally promulgated will remain in force.

The victory of the Equity Society is in the recognition accorded to it and the liberal compensation for its assistance in pooling the crop. As there are unions in nearly every Burley county the society will secure in addition to the \$10,000 a very considerable compensation at the \$1 per hoghead rate.

The Burley Tobacco Society has secured the removal of opposition to its pooling pledge, retaining control of the pool, maintaining its organization intact, and retaining also the important essential parts of the original plan.

WILL COMINGLE TOBACCO.

The tobacco it pools under this agreement will be commingled as originally provided for and the Burley Tobacco Company will be organized with a capital equal to ten per cent of the gross proceeds of the 1909 pool into the pool.

The Burley Society retains general control and satisfies the demand for local county control by the provision for the prompt distribution of the money to the grower.

The executive board of the Burley Tobacco Society went into conference with C. O. Drayton, National President of the American Society of Equity, and Hon. J. Campbell Cantrell, State President of the American Society of Equity. As soon as the conference adjourned it was learned that the Burley Tobacco Society had agreed to make the following proposition to the American Society of Equity:

First—To pay \$10,000 to the American Society of Equity, to be divided equally between the National Union and the State Union, and that \$5,000 of this sum is to be paid in October, if the pool is a success, and \$5,000 on the sale of the 1909 crop, all of which sum is to be charged to the 1909 crop.

Second—In all counties where there are local unions of the American Society of Equity to pay to such union one dollar for every hoghead of tobacco pooled in that county.

Third—To adopt a by-law fixing a maximum price for pricing all pooled tobacco.

Fourth—To adopt a by-law providing that all money coming into the hands of the central office at Winchester from the sale of tobacco shall be paid to the county to which it belongs within ten days after it is received.

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WAR IS DECLARED OVER.

After the propositions were submitted Mr. Drayton and Mr. Cantrell retired to consider them and in half an hour came back shaking several members of the board on the back and shaking hands all the way around it was joyously announced that "the war is over."

A member of the Burley Committee then said to Mr. Drayton, "We will expect you to put this through at Indianapolis," and he said, "I shall recommend it to the National Union and do all I can to have it put through."

Mr. Cantrell stated to members of the Burley Tobacco Society committee that if the American Society of Equity did not accept the propositions he would withdraw from the society and throw his influence with the Burley Tobacco Society.

Body Sent Home.

The body of Jesse Congleton, the young man who was killed by the mule he was riding last Tuesday on the farm of J. T. Lindsay, near Winchester, was sent to his home at Roswell, Ky., Wednesday morning. The facts in the case, it developed, were that the mule became frightened and ran away throwing Mr. Congleton off and entangling him in the harness. In this way he was dragged a long distance to the barn. He had a bank book in his pocket showing he had money in a Mt. Sterling bank and receipts in his pocket showing that he was a Mason and an Odd Fellow.

Her Only Hope.

Mrs. Newton B. Thomas, Christiansburg, Ky., says: "I have used your Bourbon Poultry Cure and know that it will cure Turkey Cholera. It is my only hope of raising the birds next year."

Sold by W. S. Lloyd.

Injured in Runaway.

Rev. H. F. Senary, pastor of the Baptist church at Lawrenceburg, Ky., was slightly hurt on Tuesday morning of last week between Richmond and Berea. His horse became frightened at an automobile and throwing the minister out and rendering him unconscious for some time.

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Sewer System.

The City council selected the following men as a committee to prepare an ordinance for the sewer proposition, and submit it to a vote of the people at next November election:

C. H. Bryan, W. R. Thompson, W. S. Lloyd, C. C. Chennault, R. G. Kern, Wm. Botts, W. A. Samuels, G. D. Sullivan, C. W. Harris, W. C. Hamilton.

The report will soon be ready.

Combs Lumber Co. Gets Contract

The State Board of Prison Commissioners, of Frankfort, has awarded the contract for erecting another boy's dormitory at the State Houses of Reform at Greendale, near Lexington, to the Combs Lumber Co., of Lexington. The contract was let by competitive bidding, the Combs concern being the lowest with \$19,846.

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DISTRICT

For State Senator—C. M. Thomas.
 For Representative—W. L. Craig.
 For Circuit Judge—A. W. Young.
 For Commonwealth's Attorney—W. B. White.

COUNTY

For County Judge—G. Allen McCormick.
 For Circuit Clerk—R. J. Hunt.
 For County Attorney—R. W. Seiff.
 For County Clerk—J. F. King.
 For Sheriff—Walter Crooks.
 For Supt. of Schools—M. J. Goodwin.
 For Assessor—Wm. Cravens.
 For Jailor—C. T. Wilson.
 For Coroner—Geo. C. Estlin.

Magistrates

District No. 2—W. D. (Col.) Henry
 District No. 3—C. L. Dean
 District No. 4—T. C. Quisenberry
 District No. 5—M. J. Wells.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR MAYOR.

We are authorized to announce
W. A. SAMUELS
 as a candidate for Mayor of Mt. Sterling,
 subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR POLICE JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce
BEN R. TURNER
 as a candidate for Police Judge of Mt.
 Sterling, subject to the action of the
 Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce

CHAS. W. NESBITT

as a candidate for Police Judge of Mt.
 Sterling, subject to the action of the
 Democratic party.

FOR COUNCILMEN

We are authorized to announce
 the following as candidates for the Demo-
 cratic nomination for members of the
 Board of City Council:

FIRST WARD—JAMES McDONALD
SECOND WARD—M. S. KELLY
—J. WILL CLAY.
FOURTH WARD—WM. BOTTS
—S. B. LANE.

FOR MAGISTRATE

We are authorized to announce
J. RICHARD TRIMBLE
 of Camargo, as a candidate for Magis-
 trate in the Jeffersonville-Camargo dis-
 trict, subject to the action of the Republi-
 can party.

WILL TELL.

The editor of the Focus in Loui-
 sville, on Saturday said in his
 paper that pool rooms are open in
 defiance of law. He was on Mon-
 day cited to appear before the
 Board of Public Safety to tell
 what he knows. He will inform
 them. Then they will have a
 chance to act.

THE LEXINGTON DECISION.

The decision of Judge Parker,
 at Lexington, setting aside the
 election of 1907 because of fraud
 and violence, completes the circle
 that establishes permanently the
 right of the people in every com-
 munity, free from intimidation,
 violence, threats and corruption,
 to select their own officers in ac-
 cordance with the laws of the
 State.

It will do for Lexington, we
 hope, what the decision of the
 Court of Appeals did for the city
 of Louisville. Here Government
 was restored to the people, and as

since the people took new interest
 in public affairs, manifestly a
 political activity that is at last the
 source of strength in all free gov-
 ernments. A new spirit prevades
 our public service. A new spirit
 controls and directs the councils
 of the Republican party. A new
 spirit is struggling for recognition
 within the Democratic organiza-
 tion. In the course of time we
 will have two parties both recog-
 nizing the supremacy of the popu-
 lar will, both obedient to the law,
 both calling to the public service
 the best type of citizenship.—
 Louisville Evening Post.

From a Republican stand-
 point the last sentence is appropriate
 "in spots." We are pleased to see
 evidences of reformation in both
 parties.

Assault With Deadly Weapon.

Late on Friday afternoon on
 Mayville street near the hotel B.
 C. Wren attempted to shoot C. T.
 Wilson, County Jailor. Officers
 standing near grabbed the pistol
 or knocked it down and it was dis-
 charged without hitting Wilson or
 anyone.

The case was called in Police
 Court on Monday. The charges
 were: Assault with a deadly
 weapon and carrying same. The
 trial was postponed until next
 Saturday. We know nothing of
 the cause, only the report that
 when Mr. Wren's barn was burn-
 ed he telephoned for the blood-
 hounds, the hounds were not
 taken.

Another Fool-Ed.

Mrs. Ralph Taylor, of Win-
 chester, a bride two months,
 was deserted by her husband, a
 barber, who came from Herdins-
 burg a month ago to work at the
 Brown-Proctoria. He told her he
 was going to Lexington to buy a
 massage machine; next he wrote
 from Memphis, saying he was go-
 ing to San Francisco. On Saturday
 her parents were expected from
 Hancock county. She is 23 and
 says her acquaintance was formed
 through a matrimonial advertise-
 ment.

Republicans Nominated by the Democrats.

The Democrats of Lee county
 after a stormy session nominated
 the following county ticket:

William Goocoy, County Judge;
 Buck McGuire, for Circuit Clerk;
 B. N. Lutes, for Sheriff; Elias
 Palmer, for Jailor; Henry Lee-
 master, for Assessor and G. W.
 Brown for Coroner.

All the nominees except Goocoy
 and Lemaster were defeated can-
 didates in the late Republican pri-
 mary and had bolted.

For Police Judge.

C. D. Webb, city editor of the
 Bourbon News, wants the Demo-
 cratic nomination for the office of
 Judge of the Paris Police Court.
 Judge Webb is one of the best
 known Democrats in the city and
 in every campaign since he re-
 reached his majority has worked val-
 iantly for his party. If elected he
 brings to the discharge of his du-
 ties an experience of eight years
 as former Judge of the Court.

Regardless of the action of the
 national president of the A. S. E.,
 C. O. Drayton, in relation to the
 peace pact between the Burley
 Society and the Kentucky branch
 of the A. S. E., made recently at
 Winchester, it seems that the 1909
 pool of the Burley Tobacco crop
 is practically assured.

City Election.

The City Election is in progress
 today. There is no opposition for
 Mayor and Councilmen, and the
 race is confined to Police Judge
 with C. W. Nesbitt and Ben
 Turner as the candidates.

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 music for the Montgomery County
 Fair, which begins August 31,
 and the music lovers will miss a
 rare treat if they fail to hear
 them. Below we publish a cut of
 John C. Weber, leader of this fa-
 mous musical organization.



20,000 Sheep and Lambs Shipped

It is estimated that about 20,000
 sheep and lambs have been shipped
 from Carlisle the past week. The
 issuance of the proclamation quar-
 antining Kentucky sheep has caused
 much activity on the part of the
 shippers to have their sheep out of
 the State before the quarantine
 goes into effect.

The buyers report that the sheep
 of Nicholas county are entirely free
 of the disease.

New Fire Insurance Company.

The Old Kentucky Fire Insur-
 ance Company is now in process
 of organization with a proposed
 capital of \$200,000. The incorpo-
 rators are Lewis Apperson, David
 Howell, S. S. Pinney, J. L. Cole-
 man, R. A. Chiles, J. O. Greene,
 Chas. D. Grubbs, Dr. W. R.
 Thompson, Dr. J. F. Reynolds, B.
 W. Hall, H. G. Hoffman, J. L.
 McCormick and C. C. Cuenalt.

For Rent.

Several desirable single rooms
 suitable for ladies or gentlemen.
 Also residences with from two
 to twelve rooms. All well located
 and convenient to churches, schools
 and business. Call on
 3-21 N. H. Trimble.

Horse Sold for \$10,000.

Information has been received at
 Lexington of the sale of Mr. W.
 J. Young's good 3-year-old Plate
 Glass to Mr. John E. Madden,
 master of Hamburg Place, for
 \$10,000.

Dead in Bed.

Prof. J. S. Reppert, aged 80,
 was found dead at his home near
 Mt. Vernon, Ky. He was the
 father of Frank H. Reppert, of
 Silverton, Ohio, who married Miss
 Sallie Oldham, of this county.

Killed by Lightning.

On Sunday lightning killed a
 mule belonging to Joe Thompson.
 A steer belonging to N. B. Young
 was found dead, presumably struck
 by lightning.

Fall styles in J. & M. Shoes
 ready. Walsh Bros.

Union Sunday School Convention.

The annual convention of all the
 Sunday Schools of the county was
 held in the Presbyterian church
 on Tuesday, Aug. 10. The Presi-
 dent, W. F. Horton, and the Sec-
 retary, Mrs. B. F. Perry, were in
 charge. There were morning and
 afternoon sessions. Rev. Geo. A.
 Joylin, of Ludlow, represented
 the State organization and was
 prominent in the exercises of the
 day. The speeches were on sub-
 divisions of an open discussion
 on "How Win the People of Mont-
 gomery County to the Sunday
 School?" such as the Minister,
 the Superintendent, the Teacher,
 the Parent, the Pupil, the Em-
 ployer. Among those who took
 part were: J. H. Clark,
 Rev. Geo. A. Joylin, John Blount,
 J. T. Highland, Robt. Marshall,
 B. W. Trimble, W. T. Simrall,
 Prof. W. H. Cord and Thomas
 Cravens.

The convention was interesting
 and instructive. The attendance
 from each school was not as large
 as was hoped for. A bountiful
 dinner was served in the vacant
 church building across the street.
 The same President and Secre-
 tary were chosen.

Miss Emma Lee Sleet, teacher
 of voice and piano, in Mt. Sterling
 Collegiate Institute has been tak-
 ing a review course at College
 of Music, Cincinnati. She offers to
 the patrons of this school and all
 music loving people the best mu-
 sic instruction outside of the Col-
 leges of Music in the larger cities.
 Her classes will be organized at
 the opening of the session, Sep-
 tember 14.

In \$3,000 Bail.

The examining trial of N. B.
 Devary for killing Harvey Ewing
 was concluded at Winchester on
 Aug. 13. The killing occurred at
 a country church. Devary was
 held in \$3,000 bail to await the
 action of the grand jury.

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R. M. Coons, Owingsville, Ky.,
 R. F. D., No. 2.

J. S. Wilson & Bro., of Paris,
 purchased of Maury Weil, of
 Fayette county, 2,000 bushels of
 prime bluegrass seed at \$1 per
 bushel. Also 8,000 bushels from
 the Elmendorf farm at the same
 figures.

Gentry & Thompson, of Lex-
 ington, sold to Mr. Ira G. Sharp,
 of Sharpsburg, Ill., a pair of high-
 class show mules for \$800. They
 were 2 and 3-year-old bay mare
 mules and were bought by Mr.
 Sharp when colts. He sold them
 to a Mr. Rawles, of Bath county,
 who in turn sold them to Gentry
 & Thompson, of Lexington, and
 Mr. John Duvall, of Winchester,
 who resold them to Mr. Sharp, the
 former owner.

Cheerful Outlook.

Conditions in Wall street are
 altogether extraordinary. Signs
 of recuperation, and business is
 rapidly recovering ground lost
 after the panic. Improvement in
 industry and in trade is now being
 followed by a good harvest, and
 the nation's cup of good fortune
 appears to be filled to the brim.

To Further Reduce Our Stock

OF

Men's Suits

we are offering choice of all High-Grade

Stein-Bloch & Hamburger

makes at great reductions. Every one of
 them a safe investment that will bring
 you good interest if not used for a year
 to come. Next season the prices will be
 no higher, but from the present tariff
 schedule the quality will be cheapened.
 This is not a dream, but a reality made
 possible by the protection of the Ameri-
 can woolen mills by the Nation's Legis-
 lators.



All Suits carried from last season are
 now being offered at one-half and one-
 third their former prices.

WALSH BROS.

HOUSE OF QUALITY

All Straw and Panama Hats at Half Price

POOR HENRY IN NO DANGER.

bashful Man Unduly Alarmed over Simple Request, But Then It Was in Leap Year.

This is a belated leap-year story that happened to get overlooked in the holiday rush of 1908. But better late than never, as the Long Island conductor said when his train came in four hours behind time.

Her name was Gladys Genevieve Jones, and the name of the other party to the episode was William Henry Harrison Hankins. Gladys had attained the mature age of 29 summers, while William Henry, etc., had also reached the age of discretion, with a few years over for good measure.

William Henry and Gladys had long been friends, but today, for the first time, she had taken advantage of her leap-year privileges and invited him out for a moonlight drive. Blushingly he had accepted—for Mr. Hankins was one of these bashful swains who never get over the habit of blushing when in the presence of the opposite sex.

Gladys Genevieve believed in doing things right. She had driven the coy and diffident Hankins to the nearest village, four miles away, with all the ceremony and trimmings, and now, at last, they were on their homeward journey. For a time they rode along wrapped mostly in silence, and then Gladys suddenly gave a little shiver, moved closer to her companion's side, looked up inquiringly into his face, and began:

"Mr. Hankins, don't you think it would be a good plan if we were to double up?"

She was interrupted by a wild cry of alarm from Mr. Hankins. The next instant he had sprung from the sleigh and fled swiftly into the starlit night.

"Now, I wonder what on earth startled the 'poor fellow that way?' ruminated Gladys Genevieve, as she drove slowly homeward, alone. "I was only going to ask him if he didn't think it would be a good plan if we were to double up the lip robe on account of the air being so chilly, when he sprang out and dashed away like a madman. Must have somehow got the idea in his head that I was about to propose. Dear me! what poor, half-witted, scary creatures the men are, anyway!"—Judge.

To Err Is Human.

"I am going to tell you the truth about yourself," he said.

"Go on," said the young and ambitious actress.

"I have in my time had rare opportunities to observe beautiful, graceful and talented women, and I violate no confidence in saying that you are the queen of them all. You unite in your lovely person that peculiar magnetic firm which lays audiences at your feet. Your genius, shining through all the deficiencies of stagecraft, enables you to triumph over every obstacle. So supreme are you that you have the right to rise above all conventionalities, to marry, to love, to discard whom you please, and no one will dare to criticize. Your work will live. You are the very personification of the highest art. 'With this, your perfection of beauty gives you the just title to a lasting fame.'"

"Is all that true?" she asked, softly.

"Absolutely. Would you have me say more?"

"You might," she answered, "have mentioned my clothes and my figure!"

—Puck.

Bonner's Famous Advertisement.

When the New York Ledger was waving on the breeze of fame, the editor, Hon. the proprietor, went to the New York Herald a brief advertisement, to be set up in a single line. So Greengarden was the first to see it, writing that the advertising manager interpreted the directions as ordering that the copy be run in full page which instructions he obeyed, and, marveling greatly, The Herald came out the next morning with one whole page devoted to the crisp advertisement to read the Ledger's new ad. The effect upon Mr. Bonner was almost fatal, first from chagrin at the thought of the possible bill, then from amazement as subscriptions began to pour in, and finally from satisfaction, as they continued to flood the office, until the fortune of the publication was made. The novel, though short, and device had struck the public's fancy. Mr. Bonner was hailed as the pioneer of a new and daring theory of exploitation, and the advertisement gained tenfold currency by being commented upon as a feature of the news.—Collier's.

Meredith's Narrow Fame.

When the death of George Meredith was announced a group of London newspaper boys quarreled as to his identity. One held that he was an amateur champion cyclist, another maintained that he was "the boss over the bluebird brand," but the third finally agreed to the argument of the third that he was the "bloke what played in the cup final at the Crystal Palace."

Father's Approval.

"What do you think of my graduation essay?" asked Miss Clarissa Cornetson.

"Well," answered her father, "may say you're ahead of your brother Josh. It's easier to understand than a college yell."

Robbie's Thought.

"You know we are taught to love our enemies, Robbie."

"Well, I just wish we could teach the flies and mosquitoes to love 'em, mamma."—Yankee Statesman.

AUGUST COURT.

About 4,000 cattle on the market and a lot left in the country for want of buyers. Fully 10,000 sheep brought down for sale, but very few in town for want of lots. They were in pastures near town. To say that they were dull does not express it. Buyers looked at sheep like they were poison and were afraid to touch them. It looks like the mountain traders will be hit hard that have sheep to sell. The cattle trade was very brisk at good prices, a few lots bringing \$4.65, but \$4.50 was the price for feeders. Yearlings at \$1.25 to \$1.50; heifers at \$3.25 to \$4. cows \$2.75 to \$3.50, bulls at \$3.25.

Big crowd at the pens and trade was very brisk during the entire day. A great many cattle changed hands during the day. We caught a few sales that were made before noon:

Prewitt Vannmeter, of Lexington, bought 13 900-lb. steers of Mike Wilson at \$4.60; same party sold Dan Welch a bunch of 1400 lb. oxen at \$4.40.

Prather & Lemaster sold 25 900-lb. steers to Thos. Fox at \$4.50.

Green Allen & Son sold 29 900-lb. steers to A. L. Tipton at \$4.65.

Jacob Boyd, of Bath county, bought 9 700-lb. heifers of Luther Murphy at \$3.75.

J. M. Rose sold 6 900-lb. cows to V. P. Kearns, of Carlisle, at \$3.25.

G. B. Belcher sold 19 900-lb. steers to John Stoffer at \$4.50.

Salyers & Sweetnam sold 11 900-lb. steers to W. W. Gay, of Clark county, at \$4.50.

Murphy & Hingles sold 20 530-lb. heifers to J. F. Lanier, of Clark county, at \$3.50; same party sold 121 400-lb. heifers to Mat Long at \$3.25.

Jas. Little sold 15 500-lb. heifers to J. T. Denton, of Fayette county, at \$3c. Mr. Denton bought 54 head in all.

O. H. Downing sold 8 800-lb. steers to Wm. Ledford, of Bourbon county, at 44c.

W. W. Gay, of Clark county, bought 24 900-lb. steers of Mr. Evans at \$4.35.

Prewitt Vannmeter, of Fayette county, bought 37 900-lb. steers of various parties at from \$3.80 to \$4.60.

W. E. Little, of Clark county, bought 40 700-lb. steers of Little & Hilton at \$4.25.

Trimble & Williams sold 14 500-lb. heifers to Mr. Witte at \$3.25.

Lemaster & Prather sold 36 430-lb. heifers to Mike O'Connell, of Carlisle, at \$2.49.

Milt Lykins sold 20 600-lb. heifers to D. C. Shroft, of Bath county, at 34c.

Hayden Jackson sold 8 1250-lb. oxen to Wm.ley, of Paris, at 3c.

Murphy & Yocum sold 14 700-lb. steers to Stanley Pratt, of Clark county, at \$4.35.

Luther Murphy sold 23 500-lb. heifers to David Pence, of Bourbon county, at \$3.35.

E. J. Webb sold 15 600-lb. heifers to T. S. Barnes, of Bath county, at \$3.40.

J. L. Falkner sold 15 400 lb. steers to Elkin Hunt, of Clark county, at 4c.

HORSES AND MULES.

Very few mules in town and no big heavy ones in the lot. Prices were strong. We noticed a sale of 15-2 mare mules of light weight at \$325, 15-hand mules at \$300, small mules at \$100 to \$125.

Horses a little bit dull and not much doing. No line horses on the market.

Notice.

E. T. Reis has moved his office to the Tocker building on Locust street. Entrance will be on Locust. He is thankful to the trade for liberal patronage and will welcome them at his new place. 3-4

I Have Grazing

for 200 sheep or 50 small cattle. 5-1f G. E. Coons.

Believing that the people of Kentucky will be interested in the organization of the

Citizens National Life Insurance Company

Believing that they WANT such a company; believing that they will SUPPORT such a company by subscribing for its stock—we will publish in this paper every week the amount of subscriptions to date. The work of getting subscriptions was begun Monday, July 26; and below are the amounts of subscriptions for each week;

First week, August 2

\$106,960.00

Second week, August 9

\$200,240.00

Third week, August 16

\$345,000.00

WARRANTS FOR INSPECTORS.

Dairymen Ask the Arrest of Authorities.

On the ground that they are acting without authority of law in applying the tuberculin test to dairy cattle in and around Louisville and Jefferson county, warrants for the arrest of Dr. Frank T. Eisenman, State Veterinarian; Dr. B. W. Smock, County Health Officer; J. C. Burneson and William Grace, Federal inspectors under the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, and others were secured by Morton Yonts from a Justice of the Peace on Friday night. Mr. Yonts represented the Dairymen's Protective Association of Jefferson county.

Dr. Eisenman said: "We stand ready to go to jail every day under the circumstances of today. I am not worried over the action of the dairymen at all, for I expected them to do something of the kind. The work of testing the cattle and taking steps to purify milk and stamp out tuberculosis is now on uninterrupted."

Dr. Smock said: "The proclamation issued by the Kentucky State Board of Health, with regard to the application of the tuberculin test to dairy cattle is strictly in accordance with the law, and the men who are opposing us and placing the obstacles in our way will find out that it is so before we are through with them."

Dr. Grace said that before the warrants are served upon him the county prothoniary must be accompanied by a Federal officer.

For Sale or Exchange.

A two-seated carriage, rubber tires, in good condition. Apply to Mrs. J. W. Hedden.

Real Estate.

H. Clay McKee has for sale and rent, dwellings, business property, farms, vacant lots. 52-1f

Wants Morgan's Cell—Plans to Exhibit It.

The sale of the cell occupied by Gen. Morgan, of the Confederacy, while he was a prisoner in the Ohio penitentiary, is opposed by Gov. Johnson Harmon. At the last meeting of the board of managers the cell, which is soon to be torn out of the East Hall, was sold to John A. Kelly, penitentiary reporter for the Columbus Dispatch. Mr. Kelly intended sending the cell in a glass cage on a tour of the South and then having it placed permanently in Lexington, Ky., where it would be a matter for sightseers. But Gov. Harmon sent word to the prison that the cell must be kept there. Mr. Kelly told the Governor that the cell is his and exhibited his receipt for \$25 paid the managers.

Money to Loan

on improved real estate. 52-1f H. Clay McKee.

Public Sale!

As Executor of Lizzie Howe, dec'd, I will offer for sale on **THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1909** AT 2 P. M.,

on the premises in Fleming county, Kentucky, the land of Lizzie Howe, deceased, at public auction to the highest and best bidder. The lands will be sold as a whole or in parcels.

The land consists of

ABOUT 446 ACRES

lying on the Flemingsburg & Mt. Sterling turnpike, about 21 miles from Flemingsburg. This is one of the best farms in Fleming county. Well watered; 400 acres of the land is in grass, mostly blue grass. The farm is in a high state of cultivation. The farm includes an excellent dwelling house, one tobacco barn, one fine stock barn, and other outbuildings, and two tenant houses.

Terms of sale made known on day of sale.

CHAS. KENNAN, Executor of Lizzie Howe, deceased, Flemingsburg, Ky. Jno. P. McCartney, Attorney. 52-2

Judicial.

A meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of the 23rd Judicial District was held in Jackson, August 4, 1909, to fix the time, place and manner of nominating candidates for the offices of Circuit Judge and Commonwealth's Attorney for said district. On motion, F. P. Crawford, of Breathitt county, was made chairman, and A. B. Cox, of Wolfe county, secretary. Mass meetings will be held at the county seats of Lee, Breathitt, Estill and Wolfe, on Saturday, August 21, to select delegates to attend a district convention at Campton on Tuesday, August 24, 1909.

Sale of Privileges.

There will be offered to the highest and best bidder at public outcry, at the Courthouse door in Mt. Sterling, Ky., on Saturday, Aug. 21, at 1 o'clock p. m., all dining room, novelty, lunch, soft drinks, ices, game racks, candy, cigars, popcorn, crackerjack, ice cream cone, etc., privileges not sold or contracted heretofore.

Terms announced on day of sale. Montgomery County Fair Association. By W. C. Hamilton, Secretary. 5-21.

Senatorial Convention.

At a convention at Jackson on Wednesday, August 4, 1909, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for State Senator for the 31st Senatorial District, D. D. Sublett placed in nomination Hon. E. E. Hoger, of Owsley county, as the Democratic candidate. At the conclusion the nomination was made unanimous.

Legislative Nominee.

On Saturday at County Mass Conventions in Morgan and Wolfe to nominate a Democratic candidate for the Legislature, the aspirants were F. Malone Lykins and J. W. Perry, both of Morgan. Lykins carried Morgan by 76 and Wolfe by 279.

CORRESPONDENCE.

McCAUSEY.

Mansor Han visited friends and relatives at Slate the past week.

Gilbert Condo and wife, who have been in W. Va., for a few months, are now located here.

Miss Mulla Phelps, who has been visiting relatives at Maytown, for two weeks, returned home Sunday.

Misses Bethel and Anna McGlossin, of Farmers, visited then Mrs. H. S. Sample, of the place, last week.

Mrs. R. P. Adams, of Frenchburg, who has been very low for sometime with malarial fever, and stomach trouble, was moved to the home of her mother, Mrs. C. F. Clark, at this place, and is very much improved.

STOOPS

Bag weed has taken blue grass pastures.

Hot rainy weather has delayed tobacco housing.

On Monday, Nurod Byrd was in a serious condition.

Bert Saunders and wife visited at Poplar Plains last week.

Mrs. Isaac Roberts and children of Paris, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Olio Kissick, of Little Rock, visited Harrison Coan last week.

B. M. and family of Mabletown, Ohio, are visiting R. W. Green.

Tobacco on low land was badly damaged by heavy rain Friday morning.

Big-stuff & Cockrell sold to C. C. McDonald, 75 fat cattle at 6 cents per pound.

Miss Edna Hamilton is visiting Miss Dollie L. Warner at Berry, Kentucky.

Samuel Crooks and family near Preston, visited O. M. Jones Sunday and Monday.

J. D. and Thomas Wren of Chicago, are visiting their parents B. C. Wren and wife.

J. H. Gillaspie has refused an offer of \$1,000 by Missouri parties for a two-year old Bourbon Chief horse.

Mrs. J. E. Williams and daughter Miss Mollie, of Owsleyville, visited the family of D. L. Goodan, Saturday.

Much money has been expended building and repairing tobacco barns but nothing has been done to better the worn out school houses.

Public Sale of Desirable Cottage.

On Thursday, Aug. 19, at 2 o'clock, p. m., on the premises on Camargo pipe, adjoining Barney Campbell property, I will sell at public auction the nice, new frame cottage residence belonging to Arthur C. Richardson. The lot is 140x260 feet and has on it a good stable, cistern and other outbuildings and plenty of fruit. The residence is practically new and contains 3 rooms and kitchen with 2 porches. It is one of the most desirable places in the city. Come and secure a bargain. Terms announced on day of sale.

W. Hoffmann Wood.

Real Estate Agent.

A. C. Kidd, Auctioneer.

Sues Owner of Bee.

Justice of the Peace C. B. Aycock, of Waterbury, has a novel law point to present. Frank Gilmore keeps a bee on the porch of Charles F. Aycock, suing by them for damages. The bee, brought suit against Gilmore, Becken, and the State against the bee for the same with interest. The State law against bees is passing, but none against beekeepers.

Our Lot to Let.

The last fair held in our county was in 1882.

HAD TO BE RIGHT

EXAMPLE OF CHARLES DUDLEY
WARNER'S LITERARY WORK.

When Secretary Arthur prepared with
entire care and frequently has
been—Author Admits
It Was Labor

The correspondence of the
Secretary of the Interior and
the Secretary of the War
has been the subject of a
series of articles in the
National Geographic Magazine.

These articles have been
written by Charles Dudley
Warner, who has been
writing for the magazine for
many years.

Mr. Warner has been
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QUEER IDEA OF HOSPITALITY

Travelers in Arabia. Guests of Christ.
Systematically Placed of Every-
thing of Value

Of the curious ideas of hospitality
which are found in the
Arabian Peninsula, the
most curious is the custom
of placing everything of
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Going! Where?

To The Great Montgomery Co. Fair

Mt. Sterling, Ky.
Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3 & 4

5 BIG DAYS 5

Fine Races--Trotting and Pacing
Mule Races--Trotting and Running

BIG MIDWAY.

Night and Day • Clean, Moral Shows

Fine Floral Hall Exhibit, Cattle, Sheep,
Hogs, Poultry Shows. The Best Show
of Horse Stock in the State. See the
Tobacco Display. Get Catalogue and
see Big List of Premiums.

See The \$300 Five-Gaited Sweep-
stake Ring for Saddle Horses
on Thursday. The \$100 Roadster Class.
Big Mule, Pony and Colt Shows.

Baby Shows

The Feature for Saturday

See the Brood Mare Ring

on Saturday for the season to Peter the
Great, valued at \$1,000. Witness the
Cup Races

Every Day a Big Day

Come and Bring your Friends

AN OLD-TIME

COUNTY FAIR

All the crack Show Horses of
the State will be here

Weber's Military Band

Send for Catalogue and Entry Blanks to

W. C. Hamilton, Sec'y.
or W. Hoffman Wood, Asst. Sec'y.
J. R. Magowan, President.

Montgomery Co. Fair

Mt. Sterling, Aug. 31, Sept. 1, 2, 3, 4, 1909

TO PREVENT

Quarantine of Sheep. Senator
Bradley Asks Secretary Wil-
son to Defer Action.

Governor Wilson received from
the National Department of Agri-
culture at Washington a telegram
announcing that the quarantine
against Kentucky sheep becomes
effective August 16, and is to be
continued until such time as State
authorities have eradicated the
disease known as "scabies in
sheep."

Commissioner of Agriculture
Rankin, Secretary of State Ben L.
Bruner and W. T. Chilton, of
Campbellburg, president of the
Kentucky Sheep Breeders' Asso-
ciation, went to Washington
Thursday to intercede with Sec-
retary of Agriculture Wilson in an
effort to have him hold up the
quarantine on Kentucky sheep.
They will endeavor to show that
the scabies which affect the Ken-
tucky sheep is being eradicated
and that a quarantine will not be
necessary.

Senator Bradley and J. W.
Newman, secretary of the State
Fair, met at Louisville on Wed-
nesday and after discussing the
quarantine decided to take im-
mediate steps to prevent the quaran-
tine. Senator Bradley at Mr.
Newman's instance and in co-
operation with Governor Wilson,
who sent a similar telegram, wired
the following message to Wash-
ington:

TELEGRAM TO WILSON.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 11, 1909.
Hon. James S. Wilson, Secretary
of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Please defer arrival of committee
sent by Commissioner of Agri-
culture Rankin, and others of
Kentucky before taking further
steps quarantining Kentucky
sheep. Millions of dollars are at
stake here and all we ask is a re-
asonable time in which to make er-
adicating agreeable. The disease
has been brought here from other
States. W. O. BRADLEY.

TO STOP DISEASE.

Mr. Newman said it would be
an easy matter to stop the disease
and declares that if this quaran-
tine goes on it may not be lifted
in three years. It has been found,
said he, that two dippings, ten
days apart, will completely erad-
icate this disease. The solution
best suited to this purpose is a
coal tar preparation, and for five
cents a head the sheep can be
cured. He says the first dipping
kills the insect and the second de-
stroys the eggs. He urges farm-
ers to dip their sheep at once and
thus aid in keeping off the quaran-
tine.

When the digestion is all right,
the action of the bowels regular,
there is a natural craving and rel-
ish for food. When this is lack-
ing you may know that you need
a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach
and Liver Tablets. They strength-
en the digestive organs, improve
the appetite and regulate the bow-
els. Sold by all dealers. 4-4t.

Bumper Yields of Grain.

Bumper yields of the leading
grain crops are indicated by the
Government crop report for Aug-
ust. The report furnishes a
genuine surprise in its estimates
of 432,920,000 bushels of winter
wheat, whereas a month ago but
few estimates were for a crop of
more than 400,000,000. The indi-
cations are for a spring yield of
292,000,000. The combined crop
of 725,000,000 bushels is the third
largest in the history of the coun-
try, compares with 664,002,000
last year.

The report of corn shows some
deterioration, the indicated yield
being lowered from 3,117,572,000
bushels a month ago to 2,945,000-
000.

Latest in Visiting Cards.

The newest visiting-card fad is to
have a little plan showing the res-
idence and the adjacent streets printed
on the back.

SUMMER RATES

VIA
C. & O.

Atlantic City, Thursday, August 19

\$16--Round Trip--\$16

NEW YORK	BOSTON
Every Day, Round Trip, all rail \$28.00	Going Rail and Ocean; Returning River, Lake, Sound and Rail through New York, with stopovers \$37.35
Via Norfolk and O. D. S. Co. \$30.00	Saturday, August 21, Fifteen days' limit. Regular trains. Round trip \$12.50
Going Rail and Ocean; Returning River, Lake and Rail \$32.15	

Very cheap rates to Atlantic City and all Seashore Resorts on sale daily. Summer Tourist rates to all principal points in Virginia, on sale daily. For Full Information Call on or Address

J. C. McNEILL, Agt. GEO. W. BARNEY, D. P. A.
Mt. Sterling, Ky. Ticket office Phoenix Hotel, Lexington, Ky.

THE VERY BEST.

Have any of our readers seen a recent copy of the Cincinnati Weekly Enquirer? If not, it will pay to send for a copy, if for no other purpose than to note its present great worth as an educator in all things that tend to make life prosperous, and home, the happiest place on earth.

The editor by asking its readers to criticize and suggest improvements, and following advice thus obtained is enabled to produce a paper that exactly fits needs of a family and a material aid to father, mother and children in reaching that higher level in social life, where content and comfort reign supreme.

Father obtains ample information that guides in the where, when and how to regulate and increase the income from his efforts. The mother in management of household affairs, practical economy, government of children, and other duties that makes her toil a labor of love. Children's minds and hearts are freed from thoughts of questionable amusements and frivolities of life, and encouraged to emulate all that is helpful in planning for a useful future in life.

The Grand Idea being that: "As are our Homes, so will be the Community, State and Nation."

A most desirable help, is a non-sectarian sermon each week, as preached by that Biblical Student Pastor Chas. T. Russell; a forcible reminder of the spiritual and temporal rewards gained by righteous living as preferable to a Godless life that brings nought but misery to the home.

Other departments and features are above the ordinary, the unanimous verdict of its readers being: "The cleanest and best family Weekly known to them."

Sample copies may be had by writing to the ENQUIRER COMPANY, Cincinnati, O.

Wool

HIDES and FURS

Feathers, Tallow, Beeswax, Glseng, Golden Seal, Yellow Root, etc. We are Dealers and can do better for you than agents or commission merchants. Reference, any Bank in Louisville. Write for weekly price list and shipping tags. We furnish wool bags free.

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The Sense of Duty.

A sense of duty pursues us ever. It is omnipresent like the deity. If we take to ourselves the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea, duty performed or duty violated is still with us, for our happiness or misery. If we say the darkness shall cover us, in the darkness as in the light our obligations are with us yet—Daniel Webster.

A Child's Comment.

Even little children are amazed at the backwardness of New York. A bright youngster of five, crossing over from New Jersey and seeing the Western transportation relie for the first time, jerked her father's coat-tails nearly off, exclaiming: "Oh, papa, see the trolley cars being pulled by horses!"—N. Y. Press.

East and West.

There is no longer any doubt, our Shanghai correspondent tells us, that the old order of thought which has ruled the lives of countless millions in the Chinese empire through a long succession of centuries is passing away forever. The movement in favor of western education has become irresistible.—London Times.

Barbarous English Custom.

Boys in the west of England believe that by squeezing a mole to death between the hands and touching the affected parts with the blood that oozes from the mouth of the dying animal warms will disappear and will not reappear. The children are convinced that moles, worms and other subterranean dwellers have no feelings, and therefore, it is not cruelty to put them to death in this way.

Adonis in Hard Luck.

A man once asked Thackeray to lend him five shillings, which he would convert into £20,000. Asked how, he explained that he knew a young lady with £20,000 who he knew would marry him if he asked her, but he had pawned his teeth, and wanted five shillings to redeem them in order to propose effectively.—T. P.'s Weekly.

Contentment.

"Contentment," said Uncle Eben, "may be better than riches, but darlin', no way of negotiatin' it at de landlord's office or de grocery sto'." 4-t.

COULD NOT AGREE

MEMBERS OF BOWLER HOUSE
HOLD IN DEEP TROUBLE.

Each Wanted an Awning of a Color That Satisfied Her Complexion, and as a Consequence They Had None.

Mr. Bowler never knew what real trouble was till he set out to buy awnings for the front windows. He found out then. Mr. Bowler has a large family. His women folks number seven. He has a wife, a sister-in-law, and five daughters. They all live with him—or, rather, Mr. Bowler lives with them, because they run the house.

Being blessed with such a large family, Mr. Bowler finds it necessary to occupy a large house. His house has 11 front windows. The first day the sun looked down with promise of summer in its beams Mr. Bowler thought himself of awnings.

Mr. Bowler did not tell his wife nor any one of the other six women that he had ordered awnings, hence their first knowledge of that provision for their comfort was derived from the man in the striped suit who came to put them up. Mrs. Bowler interviewed him first.

"What are those things?" she asked, pointing to the pile of striped cloth in the hall.

The man told her, "Dear me," she said, "what a funny color. What in the world possessed Henry to get light green? I don't like it, and, what is more to the point, I won't have them."

The man grinned and sat down on the awnings to await developments. Mrs. Bowler called her sister and her daughters.

"Don't you think these things ugly?" she asked.

"Yes," the unanimous response, but beyond that uncomprehending the party was by no means agreed. The oldest daughter held out for awnings with a blue stripe, because that color was becoming to her complexion; another insisted upon dark blue for the same reason; a third claim for a deep red, a fourth for sage green, and so on through the list. Each woman declared she had suffered tortures through being obliged to sit in a room shaded by awnings of an unbecoming color, and the vowed she did not intend to do it again if she could help herself.

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Mr. Bowler counted home about that time was surprised by these remarks, but the man with the awnings was not surprised. He was used to that kind of work. He had trodden the "places," he said resignedly. "Women are awfully cranky about their complexion. Some of them say blues and greens make them look ghastly, and others claim they look horrid in shades of a warmer color. So there you are. In big apartment houses where there are all styles of beauty to be suited the manager sometimes loses his sleep for a week as the women poster him so about the color of the awnings he has chosen."

Mr. Bowler looked frightened. "I wonder," he said, "if that is going to happen to me. I cannot please everybody. It would hardly be possible to have a different colored awning at each window. It would look queer from the outside, don't you know?"

Even the women admitted that it would look queer, but as neither would consent to any color except the one that showed off her complexion to advantage they decided to worry along without any awnings at all.

A New Telephone Invention.

The Queen and her attendants are negotiating for the acquisition of a marvelous new microphone, the invention of two Swedish engineers named Sgner and Holmstrom. The instrument is so sensitive that it enables telephonic communications to be made at twice the distance now at obtainable. Experimenting the other day, the inventors conversed from Berlin with the superintendent of telegraph at Stockholm; it was proved that the new apparatus had the same transmitting power over this distance as the one now in service has between Malmo and Stockholm.

Nervous Children.

The naturally nervous child should early be taught the value of self control. Instead of pampering and making allowances, train the boy or girl in self-repression. Discourage emotionalism and never permit giving way to fits of temper.

There is nothing so natural as nervous like plenty of fresh air, sunlight and sleep. Without talking health, keep a sharp watch on the child's habits, avoid all food upon which rich food and eating between meals. Many scalled nervous temperaments come from over-eating.

Shakespeare Vindicated.

"I think that Shakespeare was wrong."

"Does any one ever really have greatness thrust upon him?"

"It often happens. There's the vice presidency, you know."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Small World.

Don't—and I have always regarded it as a somewhat singular circumstance that whereas my father was born in India, and my mother in India, I myself was born in London."

She (admit her best)—Rem-a-ai-ly! How strange you should all have met—Exchange.

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BALLOON AS A WAR FACTOR.

Expert Points Out the Many Cases in Which Machine Would Be of Great Value.

Considering the subject from a military standpoint, the balloon is one of the utmost importance. Readily developing a speed of 40 or more miles an hour, and capable of remaining in the air four or five hours, by its means a thorough reconnaissance of the strength and position of the enemy could be made by observers in a position to note the line of defense and the position of every piece of artillery. Data could thus be obtained for maps which would be of the greatest value for strategic purposes. As a means of communication between one commander and another, as a messenger for transmitting orders and instructions, the balloon would prove not merely useful but essential. Should the commander-in-chief desire to confer with some subordinate, perhaps a half-day's ride by the highway, physical communication could be established in a fraction of the time possible by any other means. In such a case the machine might be of vital importance as a time-saver.

While this discussion may seem to be dealing with a future period, what the heavier-than-air machine has already accomplished convinces us that the prediction of its possible service is not in the least exaggerated. But the model which is lighter than air has proved that it, too, is necessary in modern military equipment.—Lieut. Lahn in *Pittsburg*.

BLOW FOR AUTOGRAPH FIEND

Insistent Collector Got What She Was After, But a Sting Was Attended.

Mrs. Humphrey Ward is an English "pains" of most unbecoming view, and has a business sometimes in expressing them.

Like most famous or infamous personages, she is best by the autograph fiend.

At a London reception of which she lent her august presence last winter, an American woman pushed her up and down the stately drawing rooms, and working her way up begged insistently for the English woman's signature.

Had she been of an observing nature she might have caught the cold and hostile glances that shot from Mrs. Ward's eyes. Silently the authoress took the book and fountain pen and then her signature in characteristic cursive.

Overjoyed, the innocent autograph stalker flew back to her quarters to share her triumph, and this is what they read:

"From an ill-bred insistence of autograph collectors, God Lord, deliver us."

Threaten Overboard and Saved.

Trenton, N. J., folk are marveling at the bravery of Ken Campbell, professor of ceramics at the Trenton Art school, in saving the life of Miss Winifred Brown. He and Miss Brown were canoeing in the river when the current dragged the boat rapidly toward a whirlpool where the water course has its junction with the Delaware river. Persons on shore saw Prof. Elwood suddenly lift the girl and throw her overboard. She fell in water waist high. Prof. Elwood was able to navigate the treacherous current, but finally got back to shore in safety.

"Dingoes" in Australia.

"Dingoes," the new word introduced into Australian politics by way of antithesis to "blarney," is derived from the name of the wild dog of the antipodes—dingo. Before the arrival of the whites the Australian natives had trained the dingoes to hunt them in hunting. The dingoes soon began to attack the white men's sheep and so became an enemy to be shot at sight. Real dingoes are now very rare, except in the vast unsettled areas of the north. The dingo of the South is a small but combative animal, carrying his tail curled over his back, and ready to attack anything that comes in his way.

For Ways That Are Dark.

The man ran his eye over the casual assortment of cigars in the case at the end of the bar. He was a stranger to all of the brands.

"How is that two-for-a-quarter over in the left-hand corner?" he asked.

"That's a dandy box," said the colored gentleman who was leaning against the bartender. "It's the kind I always smoke."

This sounded like a dubious recommendation until he added: "When you want to get the best cigar in the house just ask the bartender which cigar he smokes when the boss is out."

The First Cook Book.

One of the first cook books was written by Mrs. Elizabeth Ker of Manchester, England. It was published in 1769 under the title of "The English Housekeeper," and was so much liked that it ran through a second edition in one year. She sold her rights to a third edition for \$5,000, and the book ran through 35 editions. She had been only a housekeeper on small wages, but her book experiment proved so successful, she got out Manchester's first directory in 1772.

TIRE OF LIFE WHILE YOUNG.

Increase of Suicide Among Children a Pitiful Phase of Our Modern Society.

"Scientific men are puzzled to account for the increase of suicide among children," said Dr. G. A. Austell of Boston. "A generation ago the taking of their own lives by minors was almost an unheard-of occurrence. Now it is becoming alarmingly frequent, not only in this country, but in Europe. In most cases the phenomenon can be set down to the artificial life people lead and to the complex conditions of modern existence. Very often parents are too ambitious for their children, and by constant appeals to them so work on the nervous temperaments of their offspring as to bring on a derangement of the mental faculties. One of the most noted specialists of France, Dr. Berillon, who has made a study of the matter, asserts that children who have a suicidal tendency are for the most part wanting in the sense of smell. He makes a recommendation that all who suffer from this defect should be taken to an expert for examination as it might tend to forestall some future tragedy."

EXCUSES MANY AND VARIED.

Unpleasant Bachelors Give Their Reasons for Refusing to Enter the Married State.

At a wedding breakfast the bachelors were called upon to give their reasons for remaining so.

The following are among them: "I am like the frog in the fable, who though he loved the water, would not jump into the well because he could not jump out again."

"I am too selfish and honest enough to admit it."

"I prefer, on the one hand, liberty, refreshing sleep, the opera, midnight suppers, quiet smoking, dreams, cigars, a bank account, and club to—on the other hand—disturbed rest, cold meat, baby linen, soothing sirup, rocking-horses, bread pudding and empty pockets."

"I have a twin brother, and we have never had a secret from one another. He is married."—London Tit-Bits.

The Hearts of Sam Houston.

In the newly published "Memoirs of a Senator" by Charles E. Kellor, recalls the years just prior to the outbreak of the civil war, when Sumner, Wade, Douglas, Hamlin, Houston, John P. Hale, Breckinridge, Toombs and Jefferson Davis were debating the great questions upon which the north and south were at variance. There was an imposing body of men, mostly clad in black broadcloth and wearing high silk hats.

But there was one senator who refused to be dignified—Senator Houston of Texas. "Day after day," says Mr. Kellor, "during spare moments, he sat there in his seat, carving hearts out of soft pine wood. They were pieces about the size of the hand. While he had completed these works of art he would summon a page, and, pointing toward some fair spectator in the gallery, he would say: 'Give this to that young man.'"

Mr. Kellor remembers Houston as one of the most genial and kindest of men.—Boston Globe.

'Would Be' Water Nymphs Now.

"Undine gowns" have been used on the stage, off and on, and the sheath gown really is only a form of that garb which, in other days, would not have been permitted to appear in a bathing gown. One Undine gown that came from Europe was of soft shimmering satin, made as close to the figure as the tailor's art could get, and covered in undulating waves with large crystal beads. With frosted leaves, or with spring-like look like winter branches covered with hoar frost, this outfit would suit Undine if she were a polar goddess. Pale green velvet also has been worn in a bathing gown, and with the proper arrangement of crystals it looks as if it came sparkling up from the depths of the sea.

Fateful Breach of Etiquette.

Under the third empire in France Sainte-Beuve brought disgrace upon himself because at breakfast at the Tuilleries he carelessly opened his napkin and placed it over his two knees. To this he added the crime of cutting his egg in two at the middle. Court etiquette prescribed that the half-folded napkin should lie on the left knee and the top of the egg was to be merely broken with the edge of the spoon and drained with the tip of the spoon. For his failings in these respects Sainte-Beuve's name was stricken off the imperial visiting list.

Where He Drew the Line.

"Annie," said old Billings as he finished his dinner, "I am going to ask you to do me a favor. I want you to give your young man, Mr. Mr. Wats-hington, a message from me."

Annie blushed and looked down at her plate.

"Tell him," the bluff old millionaire went on, "that I don't object to his staying here and running up my gas bills, but that I do object to his carrying the morning paper, for you know him when he leaves."—Stray Stories.

Ought to Be.

"Why don't you somebody make a hit in the cigar trade?"

"As to how?"

"By putting out a cigar with three gorgeous bands on it."

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SPOT CASH GROCERY CO.

HAZEL GREEN.

Revised.

Bill Foreman, one of the men engaged in drilling the Brewer well and who aided in shooting it, says it is one of the strongest, if not the strongest, gas wells that has been brought in this section.

Elmer, Roy and Stella Cravens, three of the children of John W. Cravens, deceased, will leave Friday or Monday for Lexington to find home. His oldest daughter, Miss Dell, is there now.

Lee Caskey and wife, of Grassy Creek, will leave Monday for a three months' visit in the West and Northwest.

Hon. Malore Lykins is a candidate for the Legislature in this (1st) district. The race seems to have narrowed down to two aspirants, the other one being Capt. Bill Perry. Later: Lykins is the nominee.

Judge Adams and Kelly Cash were at the big meeting on Stillwater Sunday shaking hands and fixing their fences for the November election. (What! On the Lord's Day!—Ed.)

There was a big meeting at the old Baptist church on Stillwater Sunday. Two or three ministers preached and people did not get to eat their lunch until 3 o'clock.

Frank Cecil will leave Monday for Tuttle, Oklahoma, where he has a son Clarence, and a daughter, Mrs. Albert Henry.

Raleigh Cecil, charged with the murder of George Burcham, before County Judge Center, at Campton, waived examination and was admitted to \$5,000 bail.

Mt. Sterling College Institute.

Fourth session opens September 14, 1909. New building, large campus, full courses, thorough instruction, expenses reasonable, competent faculty.

Wm. H. Cord, President

CENSUS POLICY IN THE SOUTH.

Republicans to Be Appointed Exclusively in Kentucky.

The President has fixed upon the policy he will follow with reference to the census appointments in the South. In the States which are solidly Democratic the President will divide the appointments equally among the Democrats and Republicans. He will insist that the appointees shall not be active partisans, however, but capable men. From the so-called "solid south" the President has picked out North Carolina, Tennessee, Kentucky and Missouri as debatable States, and will treat them on the same footing as the northern States, giving all of the census jobs to Republicans. He will insist, however, that in these States the same standard of efficiency and character of the men shall obtain.

The States in which the division between Democrats and Republicans will be made are Virginia, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas.

To Mammoth Cave.

August 25, on regular train, for the season, \$12.65 for three days' trip. Includes rail, road fare, board at hotel, and the several routes through the Cave, from all stations on the Cincinnati and Knoxville division. Ten days' limit on tickets. See or write L. & N. agent, Winchester.

Returned From Fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Paxton, their son, Barton, and nephew, Claude Kilpatrick, John Frazer and Robt. Trimble, Jr., of this city; Rev. Fuqua and wife, of Nicholasville; Rev. Bohon and wife, of Georgetown, and Mrs. Louis Herron, of Ovingville, have returned from a fishing trip to the Cumberland.

"Estill Park"

Name Given New Fair Grounds.

The Montgomery County Fair Association has Named Our New Fair Grounds "Estill Park," in Honor of Capt. Jas. Estill, a Noted Indian Fighter and Pioneer.

From Col. Wm. Calk's History of Kentucky we learn that Wm. Calk (grandfather of Price Calk) in company with several others, explored for the first time, a part of what is now Montgomery county, in June, 1775, and built a cabin at a big spring, about one mile west of Little Mountain, now called Mt. Sterling, where Price Calk now lives. Later, Wm. Calk gave his deposition in a land suit, wherein the battle of "Little Mountain," or "Estill's Defeat," as it is commonly called, was mentioned at length, in connection with certain boundary lines of the lands in dispute. The case was finally determined by the Kentucky Court of Appeals in 1831, and the opinion of Chief Justice Robertson (5th, J. J. Marshall, page 302) furnishes interesting reading and definitely locates a number of the important points of this famous battle. Surveys, showing the locality, are still in existence and now in possession of Surveyor W. A. Delavan.

On March 19, 1782, the brave and chivalrous Capt. Estill, with a posse of men, left Estill Station (fifteen miles south of Boonesboro) and about four miles southeast of where Richmond now is) in pursuit of a band of Indians. On March 21, 1782, Estill and his men (twenty-five in number) passed Calk's cabin (above referred to) and camped near Little Mountain, now Mt. Sterling. The following day they pressed onward, going down Hinkston Creek until the present site of the Fair Grounds was reached, when Capt. Estill discovered the band of Indians preparing a meal from the body of a buffalo. Capt. Estill opened fire and killed one of the Indians. David Cook (one of Estill's men) in his armor, ran some distance in advance of his comrades, and, seeing an Indian had raised his gun and fired, just at that instant a second Indian passed in the line of his fire and the one shot proved fatal to both. So remarkable a circumstance, witnessed by nearly all the company, inspired a high degree of enthusiasm and confidence. The Indians then endeavored to retreat, under heavy fire, indisposed to fight, until their Chief fell wounded to the ground. Though bleeding and dying, he sat upright, behind a small bush, ordered his braves to return and fight like true warriors and directed their future movements.

To the son of the forest there is no rallying cry like that of a wounded leader and while life lasted, his voice rang out in tones of command that had never brooked disobedience. Fighting was then begun in earnest. Each rifleman singled out his man and fired at no uncertain mark. "Every man to his man and each to his tree." At this critical time in the battle, Lieut. Wm. Miller and six men were ordered by Capt. Estill to gain, if possible, a position to the side or rear of the Indians, while he and the few remaining would maintain as best they could, their attitude in front. This movement, rightly executed, would certainly have won the day, but Lieut. Miller and his six men became panic stricken and fled, leaving Capt. Estill and his brave followers to meet their fate. The fight continued down Hinkston Creek and upon what are now known as the Ringo and Crooks farms. During the thickest of the fight, Adam Caperton, one of

Capt. Estill's warmest friends, was shot through the head, which did not kill but crazed him. Not knowing what he was doing, he walked or staggered out into the open space which separated the combatants, when a powerful Indian, whose gun had just been emptied, sprang from behind a tree to smash him and scalp him. Estill near by, with gun also empty, though wounded three times could not abandon his friend to his fate, and rushed towards the savage with drawn butcher-knife. The latter, seeing his danger, turned and grappled with Estill in a hand-to-hand, life and death contest.

Each was so powerful and quick, the other could not use his weapon; first up, then down upon the ground, twisting and turning like two immense serpents struggling for the mastery. At last, Estill's broken arm—shattered by an Indian's bullet, four months before, and not yet strong—gave way; and the Indian, with a yell of triumph, plunged his knife into his body, killing him instantly. That instant, he too fell dead across the body of Capt. Estill, pierced by a ball from the unerring rifle of Joseph Proctor, who had been breathlessly watching the contest, afraid to fire lest he should kill his Captain by error. One more death, that of Jonathan McMillan and the battle closed. The voices of both leaders were now still and by a sort of mutual consent, the battle ended. It was really a draw, but as the Indians were left in possession of the field of battle, it has always been known as the battle of "Little Mountain" or "Estill's Defeat." They were about evenly matched in numbers. A slave, "Monk," by name, who had been captured by the Indians escaped after the battle, reported seventeen Indians killed and two wounded, while Indian tradition has it that but one brave ever returned to his native place. Outside of the 7 deserters, seven white men were killed in battle, eleven returned to Estill's Station, three of whom were badly wounded and had to be carried much of the distance by comrades.

Many of our older citizens have had the details of this desperately fought battle, told to them by their fore-fathers. No legendary tale was ever listened to with more intense interest or inscribed more vividly on the hearts of the few "Early settlers" who then constituted the hope and strength of our beloved Commonwealth.

"Uncle Tom's" Sale Place Burned.

On Friday morning lightning struck the historic courthouse at Washington, Mason county, Ky., and set fire to and destroyed the building. It was built in 1794 by Louis Craig, a pioneer Baptist preacher. Daniel Webster, T. F. Marshall and Henry Clay and others noted in history, were familiar faces upon its floors and often spoke to the pioneers.

It was here that old "Uncle Tom" of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" fame was sold on the block into slavery and inspired Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's famous work. For fifty-six years Washington was the county seat of Mason county, and then it was moved to Maysville. The building in later years was used as a school-house.

Have your pictures framed at White's drug store. 52-ct.

Notice.

For our lady customers we have a push button at door at foot of stairway, No. 10 North Maysville street. Push the button and we answer the call.

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Full Line School Books and School Supplies

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Duerson's Drug Store.
Phone 129. No. 10 Court St.

PERSONAL

Miss Esther Wilson has returned from Hazel Green.

Dr. H. V. Nickell, of West Liberty, was here Monday.

Raymond Jones, of Tampa, Fla., is visiting relatives here.

A. C. Adair, of Paris, visited W. P. Apperson last week.

Mrs. John E. Groves has returned from a visit in Ohio.

Martin Ramey and his brother, Davis, of Bath, are in Missouri.

Mrs. E. T. Reis and daughter have returned from a visit in Iowa.

R. W. Wade and wife visited friends in Jessamine Friday and Saturday.

Miss Florence McNamara is visiting Miss Elizabeth Carroll, of Covington.

Mrs. W. A. DeHaven and son are at home from a visit to relatives in Missouri.

J. S. Herriott, of Oklahoma City, Ok., is now convalescent with typhoid fever.

Misses Mattie and Mamie Payne, of Steuston, go on excursion to Atlantic City this week.

Chas. Summers has returned to Elizaville, Ky., after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Addie Fogg.

Miss Agnes Walsh, after a month's visit to her family, returned to Chicago Saturday.

Misses Margaret McDermott and Annie Ryan, of Newport, are visiting the family of Dan Hollearn.

Miss Charlotte S. Gorman, of Flemingsburg, is visiting the family of her brother, D. C. Gorman.

Mrs. Price, of St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Law, of Marietta, Ga., were guests of Mrs. J. Carroll Hamilton.

Miss Grace Lockridge has returned from a house party, entertained by Miss Mary Ballard, of Richmond, Ky.

Miss Eva Mott Armstrong, of Lexington, after a very pleasant visit to Mrs. Jno. Walsh returned home on Tuesday.

Miss Nola Morris returns today from a visit of two weeks in Lexington.

Mrs. Nannie Richardson is visiting her daughter Mrs. Stella, in Chicago.

C. F. Keesee and Joe C. Scott came from the Soldiers' Home at Pewee Valley, Thursday.

Mrs. P. B. Turner and son, Walter, returned yesterday from a three weeks' visit in Illinois.

Mrs. James Ross, of Lexington, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Strossman, Jr., last week.

Miss Fannie Wilson is in Cincinnati and other cities to purchase her fall stock of millinery.

A. T. Patrick, of Magoffin, Republican nominee for Circuit Judge, was shaking hands with friends here Monday.

Mrs. C. D. Benton, of Springfield, Mo., and Mrs. H. C. Quicksall, of Burnetts, La., are visiting Mrs. W. T. Swango and other relatives.

Wm. Allen and daughter, Lelah, of McIntosh, Fla., came on Thursday and left Tuesday enroute to Greencastle Ind., to attend a family reunion.

Mrs. M. E. Cassidy and sister, Mrs. Bettie Roe, of Shelbyville, on Monday went to Sharnsburg to spend a few days with their sister, Mrs. Wm. Withers.

W. H. Moore, who has been visiting his son, Roland Moore, of Richmond, while disabled from work by reason of an accident, was at home this week.

Chas. Edwards, while at Olympian Springs on Saturday night, was found unconscious in his room. He was taken to a Lexington hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry D. Reese and daughter, Elizabeth, of Buchanan, W. Va., and Miss Edith Moore, of Olympia, are guests of Wm. Reese, near Grassy Lick.

T. S. Wren, traveling for the Courtney Shoe Co. of St. Louis, with headquarters at Amarillo, Tex., came on Friday to spend a few days with his family.

Miss Oma Denton, who is bookkeeper for a firm in Chattanooga, Tenn., is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Denton, of this city.

H. Clay McKee and son Trimble, and B. W. Hall left on Sunday in McKee's auto for Winnipeg, Canada, going by Louisville, Indianapolis, Chicago and St. Paul.

Master Clarence and Misses Ollie and Stella Stephens visited the Misses Myers at Moorefield, from Saturday until Monday and attended Parks Hill Camp Meeting Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Greenwade, of this county, and Mrs. J. M. Murphy and son, of Morgan county, went to Lexington to visit Mrs. Judge J. W. Congleton and attend the Blue Grass Fair.

Misses Sallie and Lydia Clark left last Sunday for Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Chicago and other cities to attend the millinery openings. Enroute home they will visit Louisville.

Miss Bettie Roberts and Mrs. R. F. Mason left on Monday to attend millinery displays at Indianapolis and Chicago.

Rev. J. Pike Powers, of Knoxville, Tenn., spent from Thursday evening till Sunday afternoon here. He left our city 20 years ago and is always cordially greeted on his return to our town. He is still in the clothing business, and engaged in religious work. Since he went to Knoxville he has organized two Baptist churches. One of them has 1,000 members and property that cost about \$34,000, and has 700 pupils in Bible School; the other has a membership of 550, with average attendance of 550 in the school. These started from humble beginnings. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the prohibition of the liquor traffic; says that the law is being enforced, yet there are violations; that the day and Bible schools have an increased attendance, taxes are lower and the people are happy. Knoxville has at least 70,000 people.

Fairland Theatre, Wednesday, August 18th.
"CHINATOWN SLAVERY."
The rescue of a Chinese maiden by her lover after many thrilling experiences in the underground opium dens. "Adventures of a Keg"—Comic.

BIRTHS.

To Mrs. Frank Turley (nee Wills, of this county) in Clark county, on Saturday, a 10lb son.

For Rent.

Nice down-town cottage for rent, \$15.00 per month.

Large brick business house with elevator.

Apply to T. F. Rogers.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mesdames Chas. Reis and Wm. Berry entertained last week in honor of Miss Allene Wilson, returned from New York. Games, music and refreshments added pleasure.

WANTED—A farm of 75 or 80 acres, well improved, on or near pike. Address Mrs. Vivian Watts, 52 tf Stepton, Ky.

SEED RYE

For Sale

JNO. T. WOODFORD

Property Bid to \$5,125 and withdrawn.

On Saturday at public sale the old Presbyterian Church property was offered for sale. B. F. Cockrell bid as follows: First lot, \$1,700; second lot, \$1,600; third lot, \$1,650; building, \$1,650; total, \$5,115. The property was then offered as a whole. W. A. Sutton advanced Cockrell's bid to \$5,125. The property was then withdrawn, as the trustees were not willing to accept the price.

Roofing.

Henry Judy will save you money on all heavy roofing, especially galvanized. 52-tf

For Rent.

Rooms suitable for private schools and music classes. 5-2t N. H. Trimble.

In Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Carroll Hamilton entertained in Kirkpatrick's camp on Slate Creek last week; Mrs. Price, of St. Louis; Miss Kate Law, of Marietta, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Kirkpatrick.

Straws and Panamas at half price. Walsh Bros.

Prewitt Reunion.

The Prewitt reunion will be held at the home of Charlton Evans on Winchester pike, on Thursday, August 26.

DEATHS.

CHRISTIAN.—Mrs. E. C. Christian, of Lexington, died at St. Joseph Hospital Monday night.

HART.—John Everett Hart, aged about 50, of Slate Valley, near Owingsville, died suddenly Sunday afternoon.

McDANIEL.—On yesterday afternoon we learned of the death of Mrs. McDaniel, the mother of J. M. McDaniel near Bunker Hill, but too late to get particulars.

COOK.—Thos. Cook, a well-known young business man of Paris, died at Lexington hospital on Sunday. He is a brother of Mrs. Bolt. (Carter once Virginia Cook) well known to many of our young people.

MITCHELL.—Mrs. Bettie Stoffer Mitchell, aged 75 years, of Platte City, Mo., died on Monday, Aug. 9, 1909, at the home of her daughter at Liberty, Mo. The burial service was held in our city on Thursday morning by Rev. H. D. Clark. She was the widow of Warren Mitchell, who moved from our county thirty years ago; the mother of El. Mitchell, deceased, of our city; the sister of Silas and Richard Stoffer and the aunt of Geo. Roberts and sisters, of our county. She leaves three sons: Warren, Dick and John, and a daughter, Mrs. Mary Trimble. She had been sick for six weeks.

SPRATT.—The wife of Dr. J. B. Spratt died at her home in this county, near Canagar, on Wednesday, August 11, 1909, after many months of suffering. Her maiden name was Miss Mamie Wright, daughter of Mrs. Jane Wright, of the Levee. She was about 45 years of age. On June 22, 1892, she was married to Dr. Spratt. She leaves no children. Early in life she became a Christian and united with the Bethlehem Christian Church. She was one of the most prominent and popular women in her neighborhood. The funeral service was held at the home on Friday morning by Rev. H. D. Clark, assisted by Rev. C. F. Oney, of the Methodist Church, and the burial was in Machpelah. She is survived by her mother, husband, and five brothers: Walter Wright, of this city; Wm. L., at Levee; Kenney, of New Jersey; Edward, of Washington; Harry, of Louisville.

OGG.—Mrs. Lucy Brooks Ogg died at her home in this city on Saturday, Aug. 14, 1909. She was the daughter of Jefferson and Jane Brooks and was born in Louisiana county, Va., 1845. She was united in marriage to Jas. C. Ogg in 1872, and they moved to Fayette county, Ky., in the same year. Later the family came to this county. Her husband died in 1888. The family then moved to our city. Of the children born unto them, eight are living: Luther, Stella, Clarence, Maude, Richard, Ella, James and Mrs. Grace Coons. Early in life she became a follower of the Christ, uniting with the Baptist church. Soon after marriage she transferred her membership to the Methodist church. She has been an invalid for several months, having been paralyzed. She was a woman of marked intellectuality, a fine conversationalist, a devoted mother, a kind neighbor, an earnest and faithful Christian. The funeral service was held at the Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon by her pastor, Rev. J. L. Weber, and the burial was in Machpelah. She will be greatly missed by her family and friends. To her children we extend our sympathy. Heaven will be dearer because mother is there.

For Sale—Scotch Collie Puppies.

Highly bred, sable with white points; the best breed of Collies in Kentucky; male and female. S. P. Greenwade.

The Blue Grass Fair at Lexington was pronounced a great success.

SANITAIRE BEDS

Sell From \$5.00 to \$25.00

Guaranteed For Ten Years



Sanitaire Beds are beautiful in finish and design, very strong in construction, made with the finest kind of workmanship. Finish hard as flint—impossible to chip off. DUST-PROOF and GERM-PROOF. We can explain the manufacturer's guarantee and give you splendid value on a SANITAIRE Iron and Brass bed if you will come to our store. The Sanitaire Guarantee means you take no risk. Costs no more than an unknown bed—is better finished, better constructed and more beautiful in design. The finish is durable—hard as flint—impossible to chip off.

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RELIGIOUS

The meeting at Corinth by Prof. Cord closed on Sunday night with 14 additions.

Rev. J. B. Mencham, of Ripley, Ohio, preached at the union services Sunday evening.

The Saints' Camp Meeting will begin on Spruce on next Friday, August 20. Everybody invited.

Theodore Harris, of Louisville, died two weeks ago. After providing each of his heirs with a yearly income of \$1,500 for life he gave his estate, approximating \$1,000,000, to the General Association of Baptists of Kentucky, for educational and religious work. He had previously given each child \$25,000. He thinks that they do not need further help. There is talk of a contest.

FOR SALE.—Seed Rye and Lumber. Apply to E. D. Marshall. Phone 725 4-tf

Back to the Asylum.

At White Plain, N. Y., Justice Wills ordered Harry Thaw returned to the Asylum for the insane.

Killed By Lightning.

Mrs. Geo. Bradley and child, who live on Peck's Ridge, Fleming county, were killed by lightning Sunday afternoon.

New Machine.

Ollie McCormick's new white Buick auto attracts attention. It is a 4 passenger, 20 horse power. Fall Stebsons ready at Walsh Bros.

Fiscal Court

was in session yesterday too late for us to get bids for rock on the pike. Contracts had not been let.

For Sale

46 tf H. R. Prewitt

Morgan's Men

met at Parks Hill yesterday and today.

The Walsh Hat in all the new shades at Walsh Bros.

For Sale

46 tf H. R. Prewitt

TALK ABOUT LOTS

I can show you several of the BEST LOTS now for Sale in Mt. Sterling. BEST LOCATION and size to suit your pocket book, and at such low figures as you will never have a chance to buy LOTS again : : : : :

Now Is the Time

to buy, as these LOTS will surely double in value during the next five years. SEE ME QUICK

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Don't Rock the Boat

"Life is like a Canoe;
Violate a few well known principles
And over you go."

**Kerr's
Perfect Flour**

The Life Preserver

Ask Your Neighbor or Mr. TABB

SUMMER COON



Mr. Editor of the Advocate, it's quite a while since I heard from any of my people, who are out among the living craters of the earth, enjoying themselves to death a bout gitting a little moose money. Of cource, if a fellow nait got a rite smart of this world religion to leave behind him he croaks, and there is nothing that the knesupper man can seem up about him to make a long interesting paper for his paper, then he cuts the thing as short as possible. We all must look out in time while hear and prepare to have a good amount of religion deposited in the banks before we dive down in that 48' foot hole in mother earth. Tinks the only way to get a long and good send off in the newspapers after we start back to dust, from which we came.

I have bin very near the croaking line for the last three months my self. I had come to the conclusion I did not care when and which way the cat jumped. I still stand in that condishun, tho I am improving a little rest now. And of cource I am too nere the end of my rode now to expect much more. I am up in to the seventys and is liable to croak at any time. Well as I no I dont no more, I cant put up much of a argument with a college bread man, therfore I keep a good many people fooled by keeping my mouth closed when a moog them.

If there is a god, he is the one I am looking for to the pretension of my machinery after my work in this life is finished. No summer coon in this world, no matter how many big schools and fine cologes they bin up aginst, can make me take in all they can say a bout what is or will be done with man after hees bin called out of this world. I hope and believe there is something better for us in the other world, so if there is a grate error, I believe he will save all the world.

Why did he make moose the religion of this world? Who can denigh it after seeing the base of the workings of the people, when a rich man dies see how quick the laud him in every thing that is good, if he left a big fortune in the world behind him. Watch and see how much good talk is said about the moneyless man when he throws up his job. We all ought to no money is the religion of this earth or we could not run the worlds machinery as it runs. Study and watch the maneuvering of the sun and earth, and your brain will act all rite if your head is clear of wheels. It is too late now for to whip the devil a round the stump.

I have about disposed of every thing I had for sail but my vote, so if any body wants it walk up with a ten dollar William. I have no secrets about my political business. All canadus can give a fellow a super game of club music, but the dollars will side track the whole load all along the line. Say nothing, but keep grinding on the long green.

SUMMER COON.

Nicholas Committee Called.

Judge A. B. Tilton, chairman of the Nicholas County Democratic Executive Committee, has issued a call for the committee to meet in Carlisle for the purpose of selecting the date for holding the primary to nominate a candidate for County Judge to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Thos. H. Collier. A warm primary is expected. In the last primary Collier defeated N. H. McNew by one vote, and it is thought that this primary will be a close one, with several prominent men in the field.

President Taft issued a statement subsequent to signing the new tariff bill, declaring that, while the measure is not by any means perfect, it is a sincere and honest effort to carry out platform pledges.

In buying a cough medicine don't be afraid to get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. There is no danger from it, and relief is sure to follow. Especially recommended for coughs, colds and whooping cough. Sold by all dealers.

Neat Sum For New Site.

The property of J. Ross Todd and Charles T. Ballard, recently purchased by the First Christian Church, at Louisville, for a building site has been transferred. The Ballard property cost \$61,500 the Todd, \$28,500. The plans and specifications for a handsome edifice are now being drawn and the grounds will be broken by January 1. The new building will cost \$125,000.

Law Unto Yourself.

Never gauge the duration of your sleep by someone else's sleep. Some men will tell you that John Wesley had only so much sleep; Hunter, the great physiologist, so much; and Napoleon so much. But when the Lord made you, as a general thing, He did not make Napoleons. Every man carries within himself a Mount Sinai revealed law, written for himself separately.—Henry Ward Beecher.

For Sale.

Short-horn and Polled Durham bulls, Poland China hogs and gilts.
Thos. J. Bigstaff,
Mt. Sterling, Ky.

BUY IMMUNITY FOR LARGE SUM.

Pay \$10,000 Cash to Uncle Sam to Escape Penalty.

The seizure of about \$500,000 worth of whisky from warehouses of the Cascade Distilling Company at Nashville, Tenn., will cost the company \$10,000 to obtain the release of the seized spirits and immunity from prosecution for the wealthy distillers. The charges against them were "equalizing spirits on which the tax had not been paid."

GREAT INTEREST TAKEN.

On account of the prominence of the Schewas, great interest was taken in the case. They rushed to Washington as their attorney, Frank P. Bond, of Nashville, former collector of internal revenue in that district. He has for three months been laboring first to have dismissed the charges against the proprietors and officials of the distilling company and then for the release of seized goods with the payment of a fine which they believed to be equitable.

An offer of \$5,000 and the payments of all costs in compromise of the defendant liabilities was made by Mr. Bond. Collector Shimp went to Washington and protested. He said that the infractions of the law by the Cascade Company had been flagrant and he asked that prosecution of the distillers be insisted upon.

WHISKY VALUED AT \$1,000,000.

The Cascade seizure was made on April 1, when 50,000 gallons of whisky, valued, if tax paid, at \$1,000,000, and the entire plant of the Cascade Distillery Company was taken in charge by Deputy Collectors J. A. Walker and Thomas B. Stapp.

Itching piles provoke profanity, but profanity won't cure them. Doan's Ointment cures itching, bleeding or protruding piles after years of suffering. At any drug store. 4-4t.

Many newspapers are trying to make it appear that the Payne-Aldrich-Smoot bill is a revision downward. This is absolutely untrue. The average of rates of the Payne-Aldrich-Smoot bill is about 2 per cent higher than the average rate of the Dingley bill. When the maximum goes into effect on March 31, 1910, the average rate will be about 27 per cent higher.

A LAZY LIVER

Is Responsible for Most of the Constipation in the World.

There are many Laxative Pills, but it is doubtful if any are so efficient in compelling a lazy liver to perform its duty as Booth's Laxative Pills.

Their action on the liver and bowels is certain yet gentle and effective.

They promptly cure constipation by toning of the liver, stomach and bowels. They create an appetite and will cause an improvement in the general condition of any run-down person. Booth's Laxative Pills act so gently and easily on the bowels, that they give a joyous surprise to sufferers who have been using ordinary Laxatives.

W. S. Lloyd sells them at 25 cents a box and he knows they are all that is claimed for them.

"I had been a victim of constipation for a long time. Several remedies were used by me without any apparent relief. Seeing Booth's Laxative widely advertised, I procured a treatment. I found this remedy was far ahead of any other that I had used."—Malcolm Gow, 88 Marshall St., Battle Creek, Mich. 4-4t.

MI-ONA Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach distress or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

\$5,000 Reward

will be paid to any person who can find one atom of opium, chloral, morphine, cocaine, ether or chloroform or their derivatives in any of Dr. Miles' Remedies.

This reward is offered because certain unscrupulous persons make false statements about these remedies. It is understood that this reward applies only to goods purchased in the open market, which have not been tampered with. Dr. Miles' remedies cure by their strengthening and invigorating effect upon the nervous system, and not by weakening the nerves.

"I consider that there are no better remedies than Dr. Miles' Nerve, Anti-Pain Pills, and Nerve and Liver Pills. We have used them for years, and recommend them to many others. We have used them for the Nerve, and consider it the best medicine in the world. A lady friend of mine, who was almost a total nerve case, cured through my use of this medicine. She had used several bottles of the Nerve, and is now well. I have used WM. CROWE, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are sold by your druggist, who will guarantee that the first package will benefit. If it fails, he will return your money. 25 doses, 25 cents. Never sold in bulk. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Railroad Owned By Two Men.

In 1896 there was no Canadian Northern railroad; to-day there are 7,000 miles of it in operation, under construction or surveyed. At the present rapid rate of extension it will soon reach from ocean to ocean, making the third transcontinental highway in Canada.

Its shares are not scattered, but are owned and controlled by two men, William Mackenzie and Donald D. Mann.

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Some of the wooden churches of Norway are fully 700 years old and are still in an excellent state of preservation. Their timbers have successfully resisted the frosty and almost arctic winters because they have been repeatedly coated with tar.

The Tennessee Supreme Court has decided that the State Railroad Commission was not authorized in its practice of assessing side and yard trackage of railroads as local-ized property, and that it was distributive property.

Balloon Passes Over Alps.

The balloon Sirius has succeeded in flying over the Alps. The pilot M. Spelterine had with him three passengers. Fears were entertained for the safety of the voyagers, but they were dispelled by receipt of a report that they had landed safely at an altitude of 5,400 feet.

The Sirius traversed Mount Blanc. The highest altitude attained on the voyage was 18,737 feet.

A successful balloon trip over Mount Blanc and the Alps was made in November of 1906 by two Italian aeronauts. The greatest altitude reached was 20,500 feet, and the rarified atmosphere made it necessary for the men to resort to their supply of oxygen to keep alive. The Milano, which was the name of the machine, covered a distance of 175 miles in three hours.

The record for height in a balloon would appear to belong to two Englishmen, Messrs. Coxwell and Gishler, who in 1862 ascended to a height of 37,000 feet, or about seven miles. In 1875 M. Tissandier, a Frenchman, rose more than five miles into the air. A self-registering balloon sent up with-out a passenger from Paris in 1893 reached an altitude of 52,490 feet.

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